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4. [] Colonel Seymour Schwiller, on the staff of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, called to say that Representative Craig Hosmer (R., Calif.) had requested a briefing on Thursday morning at 0930 hours on the Soviet ABM system. He said that the Congressman might also be interested in other areas such as CEP of ICBMs and the Tallinn system. I told Schwiller I would look into this and be back in touch with him later this afternoon or tomorrow morning.

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5. [] Left with Winston Bryant, Legislative Assistant for Senator John McClellan (D., Ark.), back up materials including the exchange of correspondence between the Director and Senator Ervin having to do with the Agency's problems regarding S. 782. I told Mr. Bryant that, after he had an opportunity to review this material, I would be happy to discuss it with him further and answer any questions he might have.

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6. [] Called George Murphy, on the staff of the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, regarding his query about Suslov. I told Murphy that I had talked with our people about this, that there are, in fact, two Suslovs: one is a member of the Politburo and the other is a member of the Foreign Ministry, who has been involved in disarmament negotiations at Geneva. I told him that in any event we are not aware of any militant statements made concerning actions which the USSR planned to take against the United States.

In connection with Murphy's general question on this point, I advised him that the Soviets were not making strong statements regarding their missile superiority and, in fact, appeared to be suppressing this type of conversation in view of the current atmosphere regarding disarmament negotiations.

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50X1 1. [] John Lofton, Republican Congressional
Committee staff, called and said he would like to review the FBIS Latin
America Daily Reports covering the summer of 1964 in hopes of coming
across further statements by Robert F. Williams along the lines of Williams' 50X1
August 1964 broadcast from Havana. Based upon information provided by
[] FBIS, told Lofton that these reports were available in the
Library of Congress in the agency serial collection.

50X1 2. [] Mr. S. Arnold Smith, Staff Attorney, House
Special Subcommittee on Investigations, called to request an employment
interview for [] The appointment was made for 9:00 a.m.,
15 April 1969 with [] Personnel, and Mr. Smith advised.

50X1 3. [] Hand carried to George Murphy, on the staff of
the Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, the Director's letter of 4 April 1969
providing further damage assessment information on [] I also
hand carried to Murphy, Mr. Maury's response to Mr. Bauser's letter
requesting any information which the Agency had on commercial use of
classified U.S. information by NATO countries.

50X1 Mr. Murphy said that a Soviet named Suslov allegedly made
statements recently of a rather bellicose nature with regard to actions
which the Soviet Union could, and possibly would, take against the United
States. Mr. Murphy would like any references which we might have to
such statements. He said he would also appreciate if we could pinpoint
in the Library of Congress or elsewhere sources of some of the more
obvious and recent statements by Soviet officials on the subject of Soviet
missile superiority. I told Murphy I would check on this and be in touch
with him.

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